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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED APRIL 22, 2004

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- [X] Applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 22, 2004 for one month from July 22, 2004 to August 22, 2004. Submitted herewith is check No. 4940 for \$55.00 to cover the cost of the extension. If a check is lost, or otherwise does not accompany this Petition, please charge my deposit account number 50-1965 in the appropriate amount to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to the above numbered deposit account.

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 22, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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